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Advice to Mothers,

From Mrs. Stevens' letter to Mrs. Hays:

Bring your father, mother, brother, sis

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Wednesday Evening,

December 16, '91.

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(Furnished by the Deam Abstract Co.) The records in the register of deeds office show the following buyers of real estate: Elizabeth M Fregard hf int 11 12 blk James Haft 9 to 27 blk 16 Liuwood

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Another Ceff e Rush.
All package coffee 20 cents today. 221

North Main street. WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 4, 1891. Wichita, Kan., Dec. 4, 1881.
Notice is hereby given that the firm deing business under the name of Alexander
Brothers is this day dissolved, W. K. Alexander retiring—J. B. Alexander continuing. The business will make all collec-

ns and settle all accounts against the Brm. ALEXANDER BROTHERS.
W. K. Alexander.
J. B. Alexander.
22 21*

20 cents buys it today at Dorsey the Grocer's, Manager. 22-1t

BARNS & NEWCOMB,

We are in the music business. If you want a piano, organ or anything in the music line you should call and see as; we only handle first-class goods and we guarantee lowest prices. We have been doing business for the past twelve years in Wichita under the firm name of Barns & Son; we own our store and pay no rent; with low expenses we are able to make the closest prices. We are sole agents for the Bradbury, Henning and Rodger Bros pianos, Lehr & Co.'s and Newman Bros, organs also Standard sewing machine. All sold on easy terms. Old instruments or machines taken in exchange. @22 if.

Miss Li. M. Quincy of Kansas City, Mo, will open her fine stock of millinery Saturday, Dec. 12. She will sell goods at prices that will astonish all purchasers. d21-3t*

"Attention Sir Knights!"

To enable you to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Hanna at Salina, Kan., Sanday, Dec. 13, the Rock Island has made a trate of \$3.94 for the round trip, good going Saturday and Sunday and returning up to and including Monday. Dec. 14, 1891.

Train leaves Rock Island depot at 8:55 a. m. daily, and arrives at Salina 1:15 p. m. d21-3t*

W. H. Wishart, Ticket Agent.

See our beautiful Victoria ware, cracket lars, tete a tele sets, payer holders—some.

Miss Lucy Ford has engaged Shaw's or-chestra to furnish music for her dancing school. 22 it

First of all is to know what to purchase to make a satisfactory Christmasgiff. Before purchasing a present. I invite you to see and examine my goods. I have the latest and finest traveling goods that are in the market. Alignter manye and grainbottom valiese, satchels and cabin bags, fitted and plain; 100 variety of the latest styles of toilet sets and collar and cuff boxes, all kinds of work stands and haskels, ladies and gents pocketbooks and card cases. Tranks from \$1.75 to \$50.

Wholesale and retail toy trunks at 50 cents. Wichita Trunk Factory, 125 West Douglas agents or H. C. Townsend, G. P. Agt., St. Louis.

If within our homes we would use the

SPECTACL

That we don when our company's near, I fear we would need what would magnify,less Or astonished we'd be, never fear!

But I find all possess (where er they may live) For their own use a kind deftly made, With the glasses all darkened, to hide haif the view, So their own faults remain in the shade.

But the ones which they use when at others they glance
Have the glasses transparently clear,
With a power to magnify things twice the size
That the same through the dark ones appear.

Now I think that the world would much hap-

pier be If the specks, once for all, we would change, And within our own rooms use the spectacles clear. With the dark for the much broader range. Then, the faults that appear to us jaggedly

rough.
Would melt into outlines so fair
We would find that the world was a b place.

And good people lived everywhere.

Begtha Packard Englet in Good Housekeep

FORGOTTEN.

There are few who have not heard or read of the great French revolution of the last century, when cruel men seized on the government of France, when human life was of no account, and when, as if wearied with its wickedness, God seemed to have hid his face from the sin-

No one may count up the tears that were shed, the moans that were made, the hearts that were broken in those dreadful times; but here and there out of the great mass of human misery history has preserved a record of the trials and sufferings of some hapless ones, reading which we shudder and thank God that we live in happier days.

Some few years after the Reign of Terror-as this outburst of sin and madness was well named—a man of middle Notice is Hereby Given
That the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the State National Bank of Wichita,
for the purpose of election of directors for the
ensuing year and the transaction of such other
business as may properly come defore them,
will be held at the office of the bank in Wichita, Kansas, on Tuesday, January 12, 1882, at 3
o'clock p. m., at which said meeting a proposition to amend section three (3) of the articles
of association (which now fixes the number of
directors at cloven) will be considered and
voted upon.

L. D. Skinner, Cashier.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 11, 1881.

22 3 age entered a small inn in Germany and called for refreshments. His manners were timid and shrinking, and he looked as if he might just have recovered from some terrible illness—he was so strangely, ghastly pale.

The landlord supplied his wants, and, half curious, half in kindness, he made some remark as to the stranger's appearance, coupling it with the question, "Did he want aught else for his com-

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the West Side National Hank of Wichita, Kansas, will be held at the office of the bank at 3 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 12, 1892, for the purpose of electing nine (9) directors for the custing year and transacting any other business coming before said meeting.

2 14. DAVISON, Cashier. "Nay, nothing," said the pale man hastily; "I have food and light and air, what could I want more?" and he sighed

Another Coffee Rush.
All package coffee 20 cents today. 294
29-1t "My friend," said the landlord, seating himself, "you speak as if you had known the want of these things. Have I guessed aright?" His guest looked up.

All persons indepted to Kaufman & Koher must call and settle on or before the 15th of December. d15 tf KAUFMAN & KOHER. "For years I have kept silence, but today it seems as if it would lighten my Xmas photo's at Baldwin & Son's gal-lery, 118 East Douglas, "Aristo" is the latest and best. 4 tf heart to speak. Listen and believe it if our quiet fatherland. Having no near Coffee, Coffee, Coffee.

20 cents buys it today at Dorsey the Grocer's, Manager.

23-1t relations, I was led to visit some distant | As it was, I was carried out perfectly ones who had lived for many years in a Blanks of all kinds used in real estate small town in France.

"My uncle, as I called him out of transactions, court proceedings, justice blanks, all kinds and descriptions, can be purchased on the first floor, in the busines friendliness, was a kind, good fellow, well known and respected in the place, where he carried on the craft of a watchmaker, and he proposed that I should Rock Island calendars for the year 1892 become his apprentice and partner. I for free distribution at the city ticket office, 100 corner Main and Douglas. Call and get one before they are all gone.

W. H. WISHART,

City Ticket and Pass, Agt.,
Wichita, Kan. liked the little town, I liked my uncle, I liked my aunt, and I soon gave my God for that now-but my aunt's kindly on his mercy, and I know that I shall people around her, so she kept and which the gates are never shut and clothed two house maidens, children of where there is no darkness." New York On Nov. 28 and 29 we will sell tickets to
St. Louis at the rate of \$17.59 for the round
trip, good returning until Dec. 2. '91.
E. B. BLECKLEY, P. &. T. A.
Missouri Pacific Ry., 120 N. Main. d8tf aunt came, a pretty fancy of her own; Sealed proposals will be received at the it seemed quaint enough in a strange flice of E. Dumont, architect, at Wichita,

office of E. Dumont, architect, at Wichita, Ran., until 2 o'clock p. m. on the 16th day of December, 1891, for all material and labor required in the erection of a school douse, in district No. 184, four miles east of Wichita, on Kellogg street. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

E. Dumont, architect, at Wichita, and with the large towns, but our little place was fall to belong to it; but, alast it was soon to be swept away by terrible affliction. For some time we had heard of strange troubles going on in Paris and the large towns, but our little place was the large towns, but our little place was still quiet. One morning, however, we Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It scothes the child, softens the gums, allwys all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best woke to find everything in confusion. Our mayor had been ordered to resign, and his place was to be filled by some remedy for diarrhora. Twenty-fivecents a bottle. Used by millions of mothers, d64 tf w46 tf one sent from Paris.

"Still, we never dreamed of what fearful misery this was the forerunner. We had no time to dream, either, the blow "Get a first-class tuner to tune my plano for the concert on its arrival at Wichita. It is in very bad shape. Some old fossil has tampered with the hammers. days following the arrival of the new official; but my uncle and I were busy over a discovery which he had made in Miss Nealy Stevens requested me to say to Mr. T. G. Laue that she was very much our trade, and we were less than usual pleased with the way he tuned and regu-lated her piano, as it was in very bad con-dition when it reached Wichita. Respect-fully, Mrs. D. HAYS. in the streets.

"At noon, on the third'day, however, he went out for a stroll to rest his eyes Mr. Lane is the tuner in the employ of My aunt and her maidens arranged as usual the midday meal, and we were all ready to sit down, only my uncle was missing. He was usually so punctual | Truth. that we wondered and waited, and at last we dined without him. At the close of the meal I stepped out to look for him.

"I had not got a dozen yards from our house when I met our baker's wife, her eyes staring out of her head. "'Go back,' she said, 'go back! It is too late. The monster-the wretch! He has executed the honest man, without

even the farce of a trial, on the accursed

guillotine yonder!"

"I was petrified with horror. Could she be speaking of my uncle, so respected, so quiet as he was? It was too true. The wretch in office had lost no time, but had begun his work of bloodshed at once, and my uncle was his first victim, his only crime being that he was of foreign birth, and had sheltered under his roof, some months since, a poor Swiss. I retraced my steps to the house. My aunt's anxious face met my troubled gaze. She had begun to suspect evil. The two girls waited fearfully in the background. I tried to speak, but I turned away and burst into tears. I was young then,

Master Landlord, and had tears to shed.

My aunt passed me by and rushed into the street, straight to the market place, there was told me later. In these days this was crime enough for toria" were clearly defined. - London Tit-

the heaviest punishment, and before Bits, evening she had fared the same fate as "The Reign of Terror had indeed begun. She-Dear, what do you think of all with us. The girls had fled, terrified at the fate which had befallen their protectors, and I was meditating in a half burg Bulletin.

stupefied way the same measure, when knock came at the door, and two me who had often enten and drunk at my uncle's table, came in and made me a prisoner, confiscating all the possessions

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Father Went 25 Miles to Get Cuticura and Feels Thankful and Wants Others to Do as He Did.

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Things Money Caunot Buy. How much the happiness of individual lives is made up of priceless things, unsalable in the coin of the land, yet found quickly when the heart of the searcher honestly desires them! Many of these real treasures are qualities that simply diffuse themselves through the moral and mental atmosphere, and are some-times little valued, because they seem

tically grasped; but they are genuine possessions and won by heart service. Who does not rejoice to have an honorable name-not necessarily a distinguished name, but a clean one? Truly, pride in such an inheritance, which cannot be bought, is justifiable if with it there are mingled a feeling of humility and a desire to do one's own part to transmit the name as unsullied as it has been bestowed. What makes home love dearer and sweeter than all else, and treasured while life lasts? Not the tables and chairs, not the delicacy of porcelain or the æsthetic beauty which the loom

achieves. These minister to the comfort, taste and artistic nature; but beyond these there is something which ministers to the heart and soul, glorifying plain surroundings and homely details—some thing illusive to measure or weight, yet potent to guide, to comfort and to help. What is this but the sympathy, the trust, the spirit of sacrifice, the gentleness, the faith, the readiness to do and to bear, which, blended together, make the chain that binds us to our homes?-Harper's Bazar,

The Difference Defined. The difference between an editor and his while he writes things to set .- Youkers

Only One Thing to Do. There seems to be no course open to Washington Chinamen except to drop "fan tan" and learn to play poker .- Washing

Every man who does not labor and lay up a fortune may cause absolute suffering his daughter's future husband.-Elmir

An Appropriate Head.

"The light that failed" is the title of the only match a man had that went out before he could light the gas .- Lowell Con

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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On and after July 19 a change of time will become effective between Wichita and New York, so that a passenger leaving Wichita on the Missouri Pacific railway can reach New York in 49 hours and 15 minutes. The train leaves Wichita daily at 12:35 p.m., arriving in New York at 2:30 p.m. the second day following. Only one change of cars is necessary, which is made in the St. Louis Union depot, This is several hours quicker time than can be made by any other line out of Wichita. Seats free in chair cars. Pullman sieeping cars if desired.

E. E. BLECKLET, P. & T. A. d51-tf.

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Fant and Kanean City. The traffic between above cities has so increased that the Great Rock Island route has instituted a new order of things and has put on their trains, a through car between these points. The cars run on this service are Pullman combination chair car and sleeper, and are the embodiment of comfort. The price charged for this especial service is but little compared with the accommodation given.

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Its and Sedgwiez County.

It affords the Rock Island officials much pleasure at the closing of the past year to thank you, one and all, for your kind and liberal patronage and hope to be favored with as liberal a patronage during the coming year. We are pleased to tell you that for the Teachers' State meeting to be held at Topeka, Kan., Dec. 29 to 31, '91 the railroed fare will be one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Dec 28 and 29, '91 limited for return trip up to and including Jan. 2nd 1892. In anticipation of a large attendance from this locality the Rock Island company has arranged to place at this point a sufficient number of their handsome and comfortable reclining chair cars for the accommodation and comfort of the teachere and their friends who favor the Rock Island with their patronage. We will spare no pains to make this a trip long to be remembered by all who accept this invitation to come and 20 with us, "Wishing you all a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year." Office City Ticket Agent 100 Corner Main street.

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125tf W. D. MURDOCK, D. P. A.

For Kansas City, St. Louis and all points, east take the Missouri Pacific rallway. The shortest line to St. Louis by 48 miles. No change of cars of any kind between Wichita and St. Louis. Only fitty hours between Wichita and New York City via he Missouri Pacific rallway. City ticker ffice 120 North Main street.

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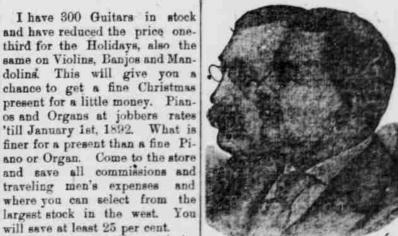
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Buy you holiday Goods now, and avoid the coming rush of the last week, when you cannot get what you want as they will be picked over by that time. Come early as we have our emmense stock of men's and boy's clothing mens' and boys Over coats and furnishing goods; smoking ets, hats and all other holiday goods, now on display and open for inspection, don't buy until you have seen them.

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That we use when we visit next door,
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I think we would find many more.

If we'd use the same "specks" when we look

of the family to the state. "In those days a man's foes were often fuey of his own household. I offered no resistance; the shock of the day had completely unmanned, me. I made certain that I, too, should die that night. But my time was not yet come.

"In consequence of the lateness of the hour I was taken to the town prison, a dismal building, which I had never known to be occupied. There I was thrust into a deep dungeon, and left in total darkness till the morning, when I doubted not I should be conducted to the same cruel fate as my poor relatives had met. But morning came, as I had guessed by the sound without, and still no summons. Worn out with suspense and waiting, I fell asleep. When I awoke hunger and thirst oppressed me. Happily I had stored some bread and meat and a small bottle of wine in one of the pockets of my coat preparatory to my intended flight. Of this I now ate and drank. No one came nigh me, and yet I could hear sounds as if wretched prisoners were being led forth out of neighboring cells, doubtless to death; for they wept and pleaded vainly as it

seemed to me. "But the third day a great stillness fell on the prison. I could not understand it; my senses were enfeebled for want of food, for my small stock had long been exhausted and I almost lacked strength to wonder why I was left to live so long. Presently arose an awful terror, lest this should be my sentence, to perish miserably for want of food in this damp dungeon. Death on the scaffold appeared light by comparison. I clamored at my prison door. I shouted as loudly as I could-all to no purpose. Then I burst into an agony of tears; my fate was too dreadful to bear. With the soft nature of my youth I pitied and bemoaned myself sorely. All at once

learned years ago as a text in the school, 'Fear thou not, for I am with thee; be not dismayed, for I am thy God.' "They came like a ray of light into my prison, and I clung to the promise as if it had that moment been made to me by a pitying God. I felt soothed and hopeful, and in this condition I

sank back in a doze or swoon.

words came into my mind that I had

"How time passed I could not tell: day and night to me were alike in my cell. I woke up to find light and warmth and kindly faces about me. Slowly 1 regained consciousness enough to understand what they told me. I had lain five days forgotten, the stillness I had noted the third day was accounted for by the fact that the news had just reached our town of the death of one of the greatest leaders of the revolution. and the consequent decline of the party. In fear of his life, our terrorist mayor "Would you hear my tale?" he asked. had fled, and the old mayor, resuming power, had ordered the prison doors to be set open. 1, in my solitary cell, had been forgotten, and but that some one you can. Less than seven years ago I had been sent to examine all the cells was a gay, light hearted youth in this and collect the fetters used therein, I might have perished most miserably. senseless and brought to life with some

difficulty. "I am safe now, as you see, comrades. in my own country, but the anguish of those few days will never be forgotten. I bear about with me in my face the remembrance of it. Daily I thank God for light and air and food, and yet these good gifts of his fail to make my heart rejoice. Still those dreadful days in the consent. They had no children-I thank | dungeon have given me a firm reliance soul could not be content without young one day be joyful again in the city of Advertiser.

Conversation Without the Th. Educated New Yorkers pay too little attention to the th-less tongue. It is full of beauties, and some of the university extension or university guild men who propose to settle in the darkest east side or where boils Hell's Kitchen, or amid the conflicts of Battle Row, will doubt less study the language of the natives and write its grammar and its vocabulary. One sometimes hears engaging sentences of it in the elevated cars. I heard two young men of tender age but tough appearance conversing earnestly in a Sixth avenue elevated car the other

One asked the other how he was coming on with his sweetheart, "How's de fell so suddenly. There had been a stir girl, hey?" The answer delivered with going on in the market place for the two evident irritation and resentment, revealed a beautiful gift of metaphor, "Oh, she give me de frost, see!" The cankering of the bud of love by envious, sweeping frost couldn't be expressed more eloquently. There will be a th-less poet yet. As for what his gift for the terrible will be, judge by the villainous but and look about him for a few moments. powerful oath of disculpation which the members of the now extinct Whyo gang had to take, "If I done dat, may I be as bad as my mudder."-New York

What the Pens Do.

It is estimated that 3,500,000 steel pens are consumed daily. It is interesting to think what they do. For instance, they make love, write gushing poetry, scrape out the briefs in a breach of promise suit, cut and thrust at reputation, scratch out realistic novels and political editorials, chronicle sensations, puff this and belittle that, and, in short, do more to make and break, to save and destroy, to civilize and degrade the human race than anything else under the sun .- De-

Unsafe Money to Carry.

My father was once with his ship at Rangoon. One day during a heavy thunderstorm he was driving in a cab to his agents, when he saw a "coolie" (porter) drop down in the street. He got out of the cab at once and went to the man, but he was dead. There was a burned patch in his waistcloth, on the right side, and some blackened copper "pice" lay on the ground. The man had just received them for carrying a load, and, as the clothes of the poorer natives of India and Burmah have no pockets, he had twisted them into his waistcloth, I could not follow. What happened and this money must have attracted the lightning. But the most curious part of "Wild with agony at her husband's it was that the queen's head on one of fate, my gentle, loving aunt had burst the coins was clearly impressed on his into a flood of repreach of his murder, side, and even the words "Queen Vic-

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